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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION TRANSMITTAL LETTER		Docket No.: 6270P0130US
Serial No.:	10/041,832	Filing Date: October 19, 2001
Group Art Unit:	3618	Examiner: Christopher Bottorf
Applicant(s):	Robert Dale Haun	
Invention:	Hinge Assembly For Utility Vehicle Hood	

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Transmitted herewith is Amendment C in response to the office communication dated June 3, 2004 in the above-identified application.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
- Petition for a _____ - month extension of time and the separate fee therefor is enclosed.

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INDEPENDENT 5	MINUS - 5	= 0	x \$43.00 =	\$	x \$ 86.00 =	\$
First presentation of multiple dependent claim			+ \$145.00 =	\$	+ \$290.00 =	\$
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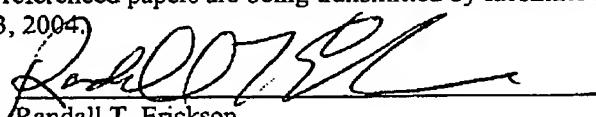

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